"Jelly," borne on the labels, were false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser when applied to jellies of the composition of the said products. Misbranding was alleged for the further reason that the statement "Net Wgt. 6 Ounces," was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser, and for the further reason that the articles were imitations of and offered for sale under the distinctive names of other articles.

On April 29, 1926, McNeil & Co., Carpentersville, Ill., having appeared as claimant for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the products be released to the said claimant upon payment of the clerk's and marshal's costs and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$500, conditioned that they not be sold or otherwise disposed of contrary to law.

W. M. JARDINE, Secretary of Agriculture.

## 14254. Misbranding of Poultry Pep. U. S. v. 50 Cartons of Poultry Pep. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 20955. I. S. No. 12133-x. S. No. C-4999.)

On March 19, 1926, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 50 cartons of Poultry Pep, at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by John Blaul Sons, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, February 10, 1926, and transported from the State of Iowa into the State of Illinois, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended. The article was labeled in part: (Bottle) "An aid in preventing White Diarrhea, Cholera \* \* \* To keep your poultry healthy."

Analysis by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department of a sample of the article showed that it consisted essentially of salt, potassium permanganate,

and potassium bichromate.

It was alleged in substance in the libel that the article was misbranded, in that the following statements regarding the curative or therapeutic effect of the article borne on the label: (Carton) "For White Diarrhea \* \* \* Cholera \* \* \* Using Poultry Pep regularly is the best guarantee you can have against Indigestion, Gapes, white diarrhea and cholera. It makes poultry healthy and gives them strength to stand up against poultry ailments. \* \* \* Keeps them Healthy \* \* \* Does The Work Every Time No Question About It. \* \* \* Means healthier poultry," were false and fraudulent, in that the said article contained no ingredients or medicinal agents effective as a remedy for the several diseases, ailments, and afflictions mentioned upon the bottles containing the article, and upon the cartons and in the circulars contained therein.

On April 7, 1926, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

W. M. JARDINE, Secretary of Agriculture.

## 14255. Misbranding of T. S. B. Liverclean. U. S. v. 28 5/12 Dozen Bottles of T. S. B. Liverclean. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 20925. I. S. No. 1292-x. S. No. C-4997.)

On March 13, 1926, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of  $28\frac{5}{12}$  dozen bottles of T. S. B. Liverclean, at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by C. M. & R. Tompkins, from Elmira, N. Y., February 2, 1926, and transported from the State of New York into the State of Illinois, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department of a sample of the article showed that it consisted essentially of sodium sulphate, magnesium

sulphate, sugar, and a trace of plant extract dissolved in water.

Misbranding of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that the following statements regarding its curative or therapeutic effects borne on the label: (Bottle) "Liverclean For All Disorders Of The Stomach, Liver And Bowels. It Promptly And Positively Relieves The Cause Of Nearly Every Form Of Sickness. Nature Will Do The Rest \* \* For severe cases \* \* Liverclean \* \* \* for all complaints arising from the Liver, Stomach